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## 1 PLACE OF DEATH

County Howard

19625

1916  
62  
1849STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATHRegistration Dist. No. 195

St.; Ward)

[If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.]

Village or City Near Savage (No. )

## 2 FULL NAME

Mary E. Bartley

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

## 3 SEX

Female

## 4 COLOR OR RACE

White5 SINGLE,  
MARRIED,  
WIDOWED  
OR DIVORCED  
(Write the word)Married

## 6 DATE OF BIRTH

May 9, 1849  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

## 7 AGE

67 yrs. 6 mos. 16 ds.IF LESS than  
1 day, hrs.  
OR min.?

## 8 OCCUPATION

(a) Trade, profession, or  
particular kind of work(b) General nature of industry  
business, or establishment in  
which employed (or employer)House Work

## 9 BIRTHPLACE

(State or country)

Maryland

## 10 NAME OF FATHER

Samuel Scott

## 11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER

(State or country)

Md.

## 12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER

Luisa Gibson

## 13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER

(State or country)

Md.

## 14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant)

Hannah Bartley

(Address)

Laurel Md.

## 15

Filed Nov 27, 1915 - Henry Clarke

Dept. REGISTRAR

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

## 16 DATE OF DEATH

Nov 25  
(Month) (Day) (Year)17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from  
Nov 24, 1915, to Nov 25, 1915,  
that I last saw her alive on Nov 24, 1915,  
and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 8 a.m..  
The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:Death in digestion  
followed probably by cerebral  
hemorrhage (Duration) 1 m. 0 s.Contributory  
Secondary

(Signed)

Nov 27

, 1915

(Address)

G. F. Taylor  
Laurel Md.

\* State the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH, or, in deaths from VIOLENT CAUSES, state (1) MEANS OF INJURY; and (2) whether ACCIDENTAL, SUICIDAL OR HOMICIDAL.

## 18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (FOR HOSPITALS, INSTITUTIONS, TRANSIENTS, OR RECENT RESIDENTS)

At place \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_. mos. \_\_\_\_\_. ds. In the  
of death \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_. mos. \_\_\_\_\_. ds. State, \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_. mos. \_\_\_\_\_. ds.Where disease contracted,  
if not at place of death?Former or  
usual residence \_\_\_\_\_

## 19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL

Bry Hill

## DATE OF BURIAL

Nov 28th, 1915

## 20 UNDERTAKER

Fisher & Chain

## ADDRESS

Laurel Md.

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# REVISED UNITED STATES STANDARD

## CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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**Statement of Cause of Death**—Name, first, the disease causing death (the primary affection with respect to time and causation), using always the same accepted term for the same disease. Examples: *Cerebrospinal fever* (the only definite synonym is "Epidemic cerebrospinal meningitis"); *Diphtheria* (avoid use of "Croup"); *Typhoid fever* (never report "Typhoid pneumonia"); *Lobar pneumonia*, *Bronchopneumonia* ("Pneumonia", unqualified, is indefinite); *Tuberculosis of lungs*, *menin-*

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1 PLACE OF DEATH  
County Howard

19626

STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATHRegistration Dist. No. 193St. Ward)

[If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.]

Village or City Glenelg (No.)

## 2 FULL NAME

Lilie May Brown

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX <u>Female</u>	4 COLOR OR RACE <u>White</u>	5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED <u>Singles</u> (Write the word)
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## 6 DATE OF BIRTH

May 23, 1893  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

## 7 AGE

22 yrs. 5 mos. 27 ds.If LESS than  
1 day, \_\_\_\_\_ hrs.  
OR min. ?

## 8 OCCUPATION

(a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work. Farmer's daughter.  
 (b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer)

9 BIRTHPLACE  
(State or country)Howard Co Md

## 10 NAME OF FATHER

Joseph G. Brown11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER  
(State or country)Maryland

## 12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER

Annie E. Brown13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER  
(State or country)Maryland

## 14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant)

Joseph Brown

(Address)

Brookville Md R.F.D.

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Filed Nov. 21, 1915 J. W. Lacy.

REGISTRAR

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

## 16 DATE OF DEATH

Nov. 20, 1915  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

## 17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from

Oct. 19, 1915 to Nov. 20, 1915that I last saw him alive on Nov. 20, 1915and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 10:40 p.m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH\* was as follows:

T.B. & meningitis(Duration) yrs. 6 mos. 0 ds.Contributory Grippe  
(Secondary)(Duration) yrs. 6 mos. 0 ds.(Signed) H.G. Spurrier, M. D.Nov. 21, 1915 (Address) Brookville

\* State the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH, or, in deaths from VIOLENT CAUSES, state (1) MEANS OF INJURY; and (2) whether ACCIDENTAL, SUICIDAL, or HOMICIDAL.

## 18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (FOR HOSPITALS, INSTITUTIONS, TRANSIENTS, OR RECENT RESIDENTS)

At place of death yrs. mos. ds. in the State yrs. mos. ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence.

## 19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL

Patriot Cemetery DATE OF BURIAL Nov. 23, 191520 UNDERTAKER McGinn ADDRESS MontgomeryStephen Hillsonger Ellicott city

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(a) Spinner, (b) Cotton mill; (a) Salesman, (b) Grocery; (a) Foreman, (b) Automobile factory. The material worked on may form part of the second statement. Never return "Laborer," "Foreman," "Manager," "Dealer," etc., without more precise specification, as Day laborer, Farm laborer, Laborer—Coal mine, etc. Women at home, who are engaged in the duties of the household only (not paid Housekeepers who receive a definite salary), may be entered as Housewife, Housework, or At Home, and children, not gainfully employed, as At school or At home. Care should be taken to report specifically the occupations of persons engaged in domestic service for wages, as Servant, Cook, Housemaid, etc. If the occupation has been changed or given up on account of the disease causing death, state occupation at beginning of illness. If retired from business, that fact may be indicated thus: Farmer (retired 6 yrs.). For persons who have no occupation whatever, write None.

**Statement of cause of death**—Name, first, the disease causing death (the primary affection with respect to time and causation), using always the same accepted term for the same disease. Examples: Cerebrospinal fever (the only definite synonym is "Epidemic cerebrospinal meningitis"); Diphtheria (avoid use of "Croup"); Typhoid fever (never report "Typhoid pneumonia"); Lobar pneumonia; Bronchopneumonia ("Pneumonia," unqualified, is indefinite); Tuberculosis of lungs, meninges, peritonaeum, etc. Carcin-

oma. Surcoma, etc., of \_\_\_\_\_ (name origin: "Can-  
cer" is less definite; avoid use of "Tumor" for malignant neoplasms); Measles; Whooping cough; Chronic tubular heart disease; Chronic interstitial nephritis, etc. The contributory (secondary or intercurrent) affection need not be stated unless important. Example: Measles (disease causing death), 29 da. Bronchopneumonia (secondary), 10 ds. Never report mere symptoms or terminal conditions, such as "An-  
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mia," "Puerperal peritonitis," etc. State cause for which surgical operation was undertaken. For VIO-  
LENT DEATHS state MEANS OF INJURY and QUALITY AS ACCIDENTAL, SUICIDAL, OR HOMICIDAL, OR AS PROBABLY SUCH, IF IMPOSSIBLE TO DETERMINE DEFINITELY. Examples: Accidental drowning; Struck by railway train—accident; Revolver wound of head—homicide; Poisoned by carbolic acid—probably suicide. The nature of the injury, as fracture of skull, and consequences (e. g., sepsis, tetanus) may be stated under the head of "Contributory." (Recommendations on statement of cause of death approved by Committee on Nomencla-  
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1 PLACE OF DEATH County <u>Howard</u>		19627
Village or City <u>Lisbon</u> (No. ....)		(150)
2 FULL NAME <u>Randolph Burdett</u>		St.; Ward)
PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS		
3 SEX <u>M</u>	4 COLOR OR RACE <u>M.</u>	5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED OR DIVORCED (Write the word) <u>Single</u>
6 DATE OF BIRTH <u>Aug. '81</u> (Month) 18 (Day), 1843 (Year)		
7 AGE <u>72 yrs. 3 mos. 1 week</u> If LESS than 1 day, hrs. OR min.?		
8 OCCUPATION (a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work... <u>Farmer</u> (b) General nature of industry business, or establishment in which employed (or employer) <u>✓ Farmer</u>		
9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) <u>Maryland</u>		
10 NAME OF FATHER <u>Wiley Burdett</u>		
11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) <u>Maryland</u>		
12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER <u>Mary Sharp.</u>		
13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or country) <u>Maryland</u>		
14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE (Informant) <u>Thomas Burdett</u> (Address) <u>Lisbon Md</u>		
15 <u>Feb. 26 1915 J. W. Lacy.</u>		

REGISTRAR

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STATE OF MARYLAND CERTIFICATE OF DEATH		
Registration Dist. No. <u>193</u>		
[If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.]		
MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH		
16 DATE OF DEATH <u>Mar 25, 1915</u> (Month) (Day) (Year)		
17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from <u>Jan 1, 1915, to Mar 24, 1915,</u> that I last saw him alive on <u>Mar 24, 1915,</u> and that death occurred on the date stated above, at <u>2-13 A.M.</u>		
The CAUSE OF DEATH * was as follows: <u>Pneumic Coma</u>		
(Duration) <u>3 m.</u> (3 ds.)		
Contributory <u>Cardiac Insufficiency and</u> Secondary <u>Chronic Nephritis</u> (Duration) <u>5 yrs. m. ds.</u> (Signed) <u>E D Clark</u> (Address) <u>Woodbine</u>		
* State the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH, or, in deaths from VIOLENT CAUSES, state (1) MEANS OF INJURY; and (2) whether ACCIDENTAL, SUICIDAL or HOMICIDAL.		
18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (FOR HOSPITALS, INSTITUTIONS, TRANSIENTS, OR RECENT RESIDENTS) At place of death ..... yrs. .... m. .... ds. Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death? Former or usual residence		
In the State, ..... yrs. .... m. .... ds.		
19 PLACE OF BURIAL <u>Bethel Cemetery</u> DATE OF BURIAL <u>11-27, 1915</u>		
20 UNDERTAKER <u>B.W. Sonnen</u> ADDRESS <u>Mt. Airy Md</u>		

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<b>1 PLACE OF DEATH</b>		
County	Howard	
Village or City	Elk Ridge	
<b>2 FULL NAME</b> not named. Cromwell		
<b>PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS</b>		
<b>3 SEX</b>	<b>4 COLOR OR RACE</b>	<b>5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (Write the word)</b>
Male	Colored	Single
<b>6 DATE OF BIRTH</b>		<b>7 AGE</b>
Mos	28 <sup>th</sup>	Nov. 28 <sup>th</sup> , 1915
(Month)	(Day)	(Year)
Yrs.	Mos.	ds.
<b>8 OCCUPATION</b>		If LESS than 1 day, .... hrs. OR min. ?
(a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work.		none
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer)		none
<b>9 BIRTHPLACE</b> (State or country)		Maryland
<b>10 NAME OF FATHER</b>		James Edward Cromwell
<b>11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER</b> (State or country)		Maryland
<b>12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER</b>		Rebecca Green
<b>13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER</b> (State or country)		Maryland
<b>14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE</b>		
(Informant)		James E. Cromwell
(Address)		Elk Ridge, Md.
15	Filed Nov 28, 1915	R. Easeltown

REGISTRAR

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**STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH**

Registration Dist. No. 190

St. Ward)

[If death occurred in  
a hospital or institution,  
give its NAME instead  
of street and number.]

**MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH**

**16 DATE OF DEATH** *born dead Nov 28*, 1915  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

**17 I HEREBY CERTIFY**, That I attended deceased from *aching of heart*, 1915, to *death*, 1915, that I last saw him alive on \_\_\_\_\_, 1915, and that death occurred on the date stated above, at \_\_\_\_\_ m. The CAUSE OF DEATH was as follows:

*not known*

(Duration) yrs. mos. ds.

Contributory  
Secondary

(Duration) yrs. mos. ds.

(Signed) *Arthur Williams, M. D.*  
Nov 28, 1915 (Address) *Elk Ridge, Md.*

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At place of death yrs. mos. ds. In the State yrs. mos. ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence.

**19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL***Mt Zion (Elk Ridge)* Nov 29, 1915**20 UNDERTAKER***Buried by father***DATE OF BURIAL****ADDRESS***Elk Ridge*

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## CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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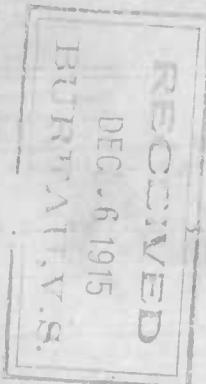
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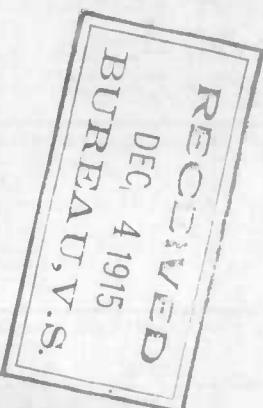
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County <u>Howard</u>				Registration Dist. No. <u>193</u>
Village or City <u>Poplar Bluff</u> (No. _____)		St. _____ Ward _____		[If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.]
<b>2 FULL NAME</b> <u>Mr John W Herbert</u>				
<b>PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS</b>				
<b>3 SEX</b> <u>M.</u>	<b>4 COLOR OR RACE</b> <u>W.</u>	<b>5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED</b> (Write the word) <u>Widower</u>		
<b>6 DATE OF BIRTH</b> <u>9 13, 1844</u> (Month) (Day) (Year)				
<b>7 AGE</b> <u>71 yrs. 2 mos. 12 ds.</u>	If LESS than 1 day, ____ hrs. OR ____ min. ?			
<b>8 OCCUPATION</b> (a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work <u>Laborer</u> (b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer)				
<b>9 BIRTHPLACE</b> (State or country) <u>Maryland</u>				
<b>10 NAME OF FATHER</b> <u>James Herbert</u>				
<b>11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER</b> (State or country) <u>Maryland</u>				
<b>12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER</b> <u>Not known</u>				
<b>13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER</b> (State or country) <u>Not known</u>				
<b>14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE</b> Informant <u>Mr Edwin G. Lacy</u> (Address) <u>Mr. Clegg Rd.</u>				
15 Filed <u>Nov. 26, 1915</u>	J. W. Lacy			
<b>16 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (FOR HOSPITALS, INSTITUTIONS, TRANSIENTS, OR RECENT RESIDENTS)</b> At place _____ of death yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds. To the State _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds. Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death? Former or usual residence.				
<b>17 MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH</b>				
<b>18 DATE OF DEATH</b> <u>Nov 24, 1915</u> (Month) (Day) (Year)				
I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from <u>Oct. 15, 1915, to Nov. 24, 1915,</u> that I last saw him alive on <u>Nov. 23, 1915,</u> and that death occurred on the date stated above, at <u>10 a.m.</u> The CAUSE OF DEATH* was as follows:				
<u>Chronic Intestinal Desnutr.</u>				
Indefinite (Duration) <u>9 yrs. 9 mos. 2 ds.</u>				
Contributory (Secondary)				
(Duration) <u>Irving &amp; Chaney, M.D.</u> (Signed) <u>Irving &amp; Chaney, M.D.</u> (Address) <u>Montgomery Md.</u>				
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<b>19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL</b> <u>Poplar Bluff, Mo., Cemetery</u> DATE OF BURIAL <u>Nov. 26, 1915</u>				
20 UNDERTAKER <u>Bill Bonman</u> ADDRESS <u>Poplar Bluff, Mo.</u>				

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County Howard

19631

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STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATHRegistration Dist. No. 191Village or City Ellicott City (No.)

St.; Ward)

[If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.]

2 FULL NAME John Wesley Merson

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX Male 4 COLOR OR RACE White 5 SINGLE,  
MARRIED,  
WIDDED  
OR DIVORCED  
(Write the word) Married

6 DATE OF BIRTH

August 26, 1836  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE

79 yrs. 2 mos. 29 ds.  
If LESS than  
1 day, hrs.  
OR min.?8 OCCUPATION  
(a) Trade, profession, or  
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business, or establishment in  
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(State or country)Maryland10 NAME OF  
FATHERRegis Merson11 BIRTHPLACE  
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(State or country)Maryland12 MAIDEN NAME  
OF MOTHERSarah C. Davis13 BIRTHPLACE  
OF MOTHER  
(State or country)Maryland

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Mary Ann Merson

(Address)

Ellicott City

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Filed 11-27, 1915 at St. John's Church

REGISTRAR

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH

Nov. 28, 1915  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from  
Nov. 22, 1915, to Nov. 25, 1915,  
that I last saw him alive on Nov. 20, 1915,  
and that death occurred on the date stated above, at m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:

Cardiac Asthenia

Contributory Old age  
Secondary

(Signed) Wm. G. Gambill (Address) Ellicott City  
(Durellon) yrs. mos. de.  
M. O.

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Former or  
usual residence

In the  
State, yrs. mos. de.

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL

St. John's Cemetery (Date of Burial) Nov. 28, 1915

20 UNDERTAKER

J. Hellingard & Son (Address) Ellicott City

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County... Howard		(103)
Village or City... Ellicott City (No.)		(104)
<b>2 FULL NAME</b> William H. Peters		
<b>PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS</b>		
<b>3 SEX</b> Male	<b>4 COLOR OR RACE</b> Colored	<b>5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (Write the word)</b> Batchelor
<b>6 DATE OF BIRTH</b> <i>Unknown</i>		(Month) (Day) (Year)
<b>7 AGE</b> 70 yrs. mos. ds.	It LESS than 1 day, hrs. OR min. ?	
<b>8 OCCUPATION</b> (a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work Laborer on Farm		
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer) <i>None</i>		
<b>9 BIRTHPLACE</b> (State or country) Maryland		
<b>10 NAME OF FATHER</b> Robert Peters		
<b>11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER</b> (State or country) Maryland		
<b>12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER</b> Rathael Wittings		
<b>13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER</b> (State or country) Maryland		
<b>14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE</b>		
(Informant) Robert Peters (Nephew)		
(Address) 635 Pitcher St. Baltimore		
15 Filed 11-29-1915 by E. B. Staelens, Esq.		



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STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 191

St.: Ward)

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## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH November 27th, 1915  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from  
191 to 191, that I last saw h. alive on

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at m.  
The CAUSE OF DEATH\* was as follows:

*Acute Indigestion*

(Duration) yrs. mos. ds.

Contributory  
Secondary

(Duration) yrs. mos. ds.

(Signed) W. H. Peters, M. D.  
Nov 28, 1915 (Address) Ellicott City, Md.

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At place of death yrs. mos. ds. In the State yrs. mos. ds

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Former or usual residence.

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL Mount Auburn Balt., Nov 29, 1915  
DATE OF BURIAL

20 UNDERTAKER Boston Sons ADDRESS Ellicott City

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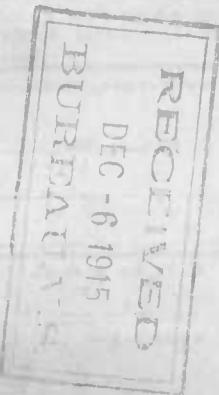
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1 PLACE OF DEATH			
County	Howard	19633	(40)
Village or City	Dayton	(No.)	
2 FULL NAME		Rosalie Rosalie Phelps (Rosalie)	
PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS			
3 SEX	Female	4 COLOR OR RACE	White
5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (Write the word)	Married		
6 DATE OF BIRTH	Mar	10	, 1863
7 AGE	52 yrs. 8 mos. 7 ds.	If LESS than 1 day, hrs. OR min. ?	
8 OCCUPATION (a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work. (b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer)			
Housewife			
9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country)			
Maryland			
10 NAME OF FATHER			
B. F. Nichols			
11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country)			
Maryland			
12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER			
Mary Jane Dean			
13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or country)			
Maryland			
14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE (Informant)			
Dayton			
(Address)			
15	Filed Nov 17, 1915 - S. A. Nichols		

(1) If more blanks are needed, address State Registrar, 6 E. Franklin St., Balt., Requesting V. S. No. 1.

STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 194

St. Ward

[If death occurred in  
a hospital or institution,  
give its NAME instead  
of street and number.]

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH			
16 DATE OF DEATH	Nov	17	, 1915
(Month)	(Day)	(Year)	
17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from	Mar 1	1915	to Nov 17, 1915
that I last saw her alive on Nov 16, 1915			
and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 6 P.m.			
The CAUSE OF DEATH* was as follows:	Gastric Carcinoma		
Contributory	Exhaustion		
Secondary	(Duration)	yrs.	mos.
(Signed)	S. A. Nichols	M. D.	
Nov 17, 1915	(Address)	Dayton	Md.
* State the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH, or, in deaths from VIOLENT CAUSES, state (1) MEANS OF INJURY; and (2) whether ACCIDENTAL, SUICIDAL, or HOMICIDAL.			
18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (FOR HOSPITALS, INSTITUTIONS, TRANSIENTS, OR RECENT RESIDENTS)	In the		
At place	State		
of death yrs. mos. ds.	yrs. mos.		
Where was disease contracted, If not at place of death?			
Former or usual residence			
19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL	DATE OF BURIAL		
St Marks Cemetery	Nov 20, 1915		
20 UNDERTAKER	ADDRESS		
Easton Sons &	Ellicott City		

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County Howard

19634

(79)

STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 191

Village or City Ellicott (No.)

St.; Ward)

[If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.]

## 2 FULL NAME

Mary Lavinia Schillinger

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX <u>Female</u>	4 COLOR OR RACE <u>White</u>	5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED OR DIVORCED (Write the word) <u>Married</u>
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6 DATE OF BIRTH  
Dec 30, 1853  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE  
62 yrs. mos. ds.  
If LESS than  
1 day, hrs.  
OR min. ?

8 OCCUPATION  
(a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work  
Domestic Duties  
(b) General nature of Industry business, or establishment in which employed (or employer)

9 BIRTHPLACE  
(State or country)  
Camden, N. Jersey

10 NAME OF FATHER  
James M. Sherman

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER  
(State or country)  
Philadelphia

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER  
Mary S. Smith

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER  
(State or country)  
New Jersey

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE  
(Informant) George Schillinger  
(Address) Ellicott City

15 Filled Nov. 26, 1915 at Baltimore

REGISTRAR

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH  
Nov. 26, 1915  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from  
Nov. 20, 1915, to Nov. 22, 1915,  
that I last saw her alive on Nov. 26, 1915,  
and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 8 A.M.

The CAUSE OF DEATH was as follows:

Mental Regeneration &  
in due Sufficiency  
(Duration) ✓ yrs. — mos. — ds.

Contributory  
Secondary  
Frank Q. Miller  
(Signed) Nov. 26, 1915 (Address) Ellicott City, M. D.

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18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (FOR HOSPITALS, INSTITUTIONS, TRANSIENTS, OR RECENT RESIDENTS)

At place  
of death yrs. mos. ds.  
In the  
State, yrs. mos. ds.

Where was disease contracted,  
If not at place of death?

Former or  
usual residence

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL  
Loudon Park

DATE OF BURIAL  
Nov. 29, 1915

20 UNDERTAKER

Easton Sons

ADDRESS  
Ellicott City

# REVISED UNITED STATES STANDARD

## CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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County..... *Howard*

19635

STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATHRegistration Dist. No. *193*

176

Village or City *Poplars Spring* (No.)

St. .... Ward)

[If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.]

2 FULL NAME *Fleeton Jacob Still*

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX <i>Male</i>	4 COLOR OR RACE <i>White</i>	5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (Write the word) <i>Married</i>
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6 DATE OF BIRTH  
*Aug 4, 1867.*  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE  
*48 yrs. 3 mos. 24 ds.*  
It LESS than  
1 day, ..... hrs.  
OR ..... min. ?

8 OCCUPATION  
(a) Trade, profession, or  
particular kind of work *Farmer*  
(b) General nature of industry,  
business, or establishment in  
which employed (or employer) *—*

9 BIRTHPLACE  
(State or country) *Frederick Co. Md.*

10 NAME OF  
FATHER *William H. Still*

11 BIRTHPLACE  
OF FATHER  
(State or country) *Frederick Co. Md.*

12 MAIDEN NAME  
OF MOTHER *Rueryann Still*

13 BIRTHPLACE  
OF MOTHER  
(State or country) *Frederick Co. Md.*

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) *Mrs. Clara Still*  
(Address) *Mt. airy, Md.*

15 Filed *Nov. 28, 1915.* *J. W. Lacy*

REGISTRAR

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH *Nov. 28, 1915.*  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from *Nov. 27, 1915.* to *Nov. 28, 1915.*

that I last saw him alive on *Nov. 27, 1915.*

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at *4 p.m.*  
The CAUSE OF DEATH\* was as follows:

*Hemorrhage of left side of brain, caused by a blow on the side; may be anemia.*  
(Duration) *1/4 hrs.* yrs. mos. ds.

Contributory  
Secondary *Fury in road accident.*  
(Duration) *1/4 hrs.* yrs. mos. ds.

(Signed) *J. W. Lacy*, M. D.  
Nov. 28, 1915. (Address) *Lisbon, Md.*

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OR RECENT RESIDENTS)

At place of death ..... yrs. ..... mos. ..... ds. In the State ..... yrs. ..... mos. ..... ds

Where was disease contracted,  
if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence.

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL *Zion Church, Charlesville, Frederick Co. Md.* DATE OF BURIAL *Dec. 1, 1915.*

20 UNDERTAKER *B. W. Bourman* ADDRESS *Mt. airy, Md.*

# REVISED UNITED STATES STANDARD

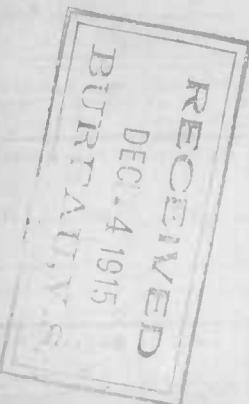
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County Howard

19636

170

STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 191

Village or City Ellicott City, (No.)

St.; Ward)

[If death occurred in  
a hospital or institution,  
give its NAME instead  
of street and number.]

2 FULL NAME Daisy Tapscott

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX Female	4 COLOR OR RACE Colored	5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED OR DIVORCED (Write the word) Single
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6 DATE OF BIRTH

March 4, 1909

(Month)

(Day)

(Year)

7 AGE

5 yrs. 8 mos. 16 ds.

If LESS than  
1 day... hrs.  
OR min.?

## 8 OCCUPATION

(a) Trade, profession, or  
particular kind of work

None

(b) General nature of Industry  
business, or establishment in  
which employed (or employer)9 BIRTHPLACE  
(State or country)

Maryland

## PARENTS

## 10 NAME OF FATHER

George Mason Tapscott

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER  
(State or country)

Virginia

## 12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER

Annie Green

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER  
(State or country)

Maryland

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) George Mason Tapscott "Father"

(Address) Ellicott City, Maryland

15

Filed Nov 20, 1915

REGISTRAR

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH November 20, 1915  
(Month) (Day) (Year)17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from  
1915, to 1915, that I last saw h alive on 1915,  
and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 8 A.m.  
The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:

Accidental Death

by shooting herself with rifle

(Duration) yrs. mos. ds.

Contributory  
Secondary(Signed) W. H. G. (Signature) (Duration) yrs. mos. ds.  
Nov 20, 1915 (Address) Ellicott City, Md., M. D.\*State the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH, or, in deaths from VIOLENT  
CAUSES, state (1) MEANS OF INJURY; and (2) whether ACCIDENTAL,  
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At place of death yrs. mos. ds. In the State, yrs. mos. ds.

Where was disease contracted,  
if not at place of death?Former or  
usual residence

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL Ground Gulbo DATE OF BURIAL Howard, 1915

20 UNDERTAKER Easton Sons

ADDRESS Ellicott City

# REVISED UNITED STATES STANDARD

## CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

[Approved by U. S. Census and American Public Health Association.]

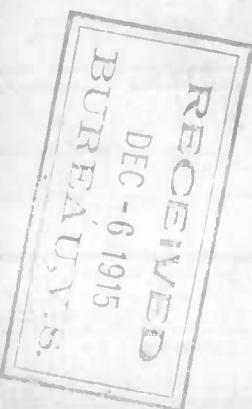
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## 1 PLACE OF DEATH

County Howard

19637

(S)

STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATHRegistration Dist. No. 191Village or City Baltimore (No.)

St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_

[If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.]

## 2 FULL NAME

Child of Mason & Anna Jephcott

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX

4 COLOR OR RACE

5 SINGLE,  
MARRIED,  
WIDOWED  
OR DIVORCED  
(Write the word)

6 DATE OF BIRTH

Nov 19, 1915  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE

One yearIf LESS than  
1 day, hrs.  
OR min.?

## 8 OCCUPATION

(a) Trade, profession, or  
particular kind of work(b) General nature of Industry  
business, or establishment in  
which employed (or employer)9 BIRTHPLACE  
(State or country)Maryland  
Mason Jephcott

## PARENTS

10 NAME OF  
FATHER11 BIRTHPLACE  
OF FATHER  
(State or country)12 MAIDEN NAME  
OF MOTHER13 BIRTHPLACE  
OF MOTHER  
(State or country)

## 14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(informant)

Jessie Church

(Address)

Baltimore Md

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## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH

Nov 19, 1915  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from

that I last saw h. alive on , 191 , to , 191 ,

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:

Stillborn  
Banister birth  
1 month old (Duration) yrs. mos. ds.Contributory  
SecondaryOB/Gyn (Duration) yrs. mos. ds.  
(Signed) OB/Gyn Local Reg 19111-19-1915 (Address) Elliott City  
\* State the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH, or, in deaths from VIOLENT  
CAUSES, state (1) MEANS OF INJURY; and (2) whether ACCIDENTAL,  
SUICIDAL or HOMICIDAL18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (FOR HOSPITALS, INSTITUTIONS, TRANSIENTS,  
OR RECENT RESIDENTS)At place of death yrs. mos. ds.  
Where was disease contracted,  
if not at place of death?  
Former or usual residence

In the State, yrs. mos. ds.

## 19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL

Pin Oakwood CemeteryDATE OF BURIAL  
Nov 19, 1915

## 20 UNDERTAKER

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Elliott City

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Village or City <u>Dayton</u> (No.)		Registration Dist. No. ....		
2 FULL NAME <u>Ebethia Elizabeth Thompson</u>		St. .... Ward) <u>194</u>		
[If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.]				
PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS				
3 SEX <u>Female</u>	4 COLOR OR RACE <u>White</u>	5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (Write the word) <u>Single</u>		
6 DATE OF BIRTH <u>Oct 27</u>		7 AGE <u>75</u> yrs. .... mos. .... ds.	If LESS than 1 day, .... hrs. OR min. ? <u>9</u>	
8 OCCUPATION (a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work. <u>None</u>		16 DATE OF DEATH <u>Nov 5</u> , 1915 (Month) (Day) (Year)		
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9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) <u>Maryland</u>		<u>The Infirmities of age</u>		
10 NAME OF FATHER <u>Richard Thompson</u>		18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (FOR HOSPITALS, INSTITUTIONS, TRANSIENTS, OR RECENT RESIDENTS) At place of death yrs. mos. ds. In the State yrs. mos. ds.		
11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) <u>Maryland</u>		Where was disease contracted, If not at place of death? _____		
12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER <u>Rebecca Rawlins</u>		Former or usual residence _____		
13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or country) <u>Maryland</u>		19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL <u>Providence Cemetery</u> DATE OF BURIAL <u>Nov 7, 1915</u>		
14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE (informant) <u>Annie Salby</u>		20 UNDERTAKER <u>Basel Bowman</u> ADDRESS <u>West airy Md</u>		
(Address) <u>Glenly Bld</u>		Filled <u>Nov 5, 1915</u> S.A. Nichols		
15		REGISTRAR		

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County Howard

19639

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CERTIFICATE OF DEATHRegistration Dist. No. 195Village or City Colesville (No. ....)

St.; Ward)

[If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.]

2 FULL NAME Tom Coates

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX

4 COLOR OR RACE Male Col.5 SINGLE,  
MARRIED,  
WIDOWED  
OR DIVORCED  
(Write the word) Widowed

6 DATE OF BIRTH

(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE

67 yrs. mos. ds. If LESS than  
1 day, hrs.  
OR min.?

8 OCCUPATION

(a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work Sabores  
 (b) General nature of industry business, or establishment in which employed (or employer)

9 BIRTHPLACE  
(State or country) Md

## PARENTS

10 NAME OF FATHER

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER  
(State or country) Unknown

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER  
(State or country) Unknown

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(Informant) Mr Collins(Address) Fawel R. F. D.

15

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16 DATE OF DEATH

Nov 12, 1915  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from

, 191 , to , 191 ,

that I last saw h alive on , 191 ,

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:

Natural CausesContributory  
Secondary

(Duration) yrs. mos. ds.

(Signed) Charles Williamson, M. D.  
Nov 12, 1915 (Address) Guildford Md

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At place of death yrs. mos. ds. In the State, yrs. mos. ds.

Where was disease contracted,  
if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL

Bacon Chapel

DATE OF BURIAL

Nov 15, 1915

20 UNDERTAKER

Fisher & Olson

ADDRESS

Fawel Md

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